



Early This Afternoon (7/19)

CALL TO ACTION: *Vessels in the area should use caution or make avoidance plans depending on your vessel type and cargo.*

- Low pressure well offshore of the Virginia Capes will produce an area of gales through early this afternoon mainly from 36N to 38N east of 66.5W.
- The area of gales should diminish during the afternoon.
- Maximum seas just over 12 feet associated with the higher winds will slowly subside while shifting east to east of 65W this evening.

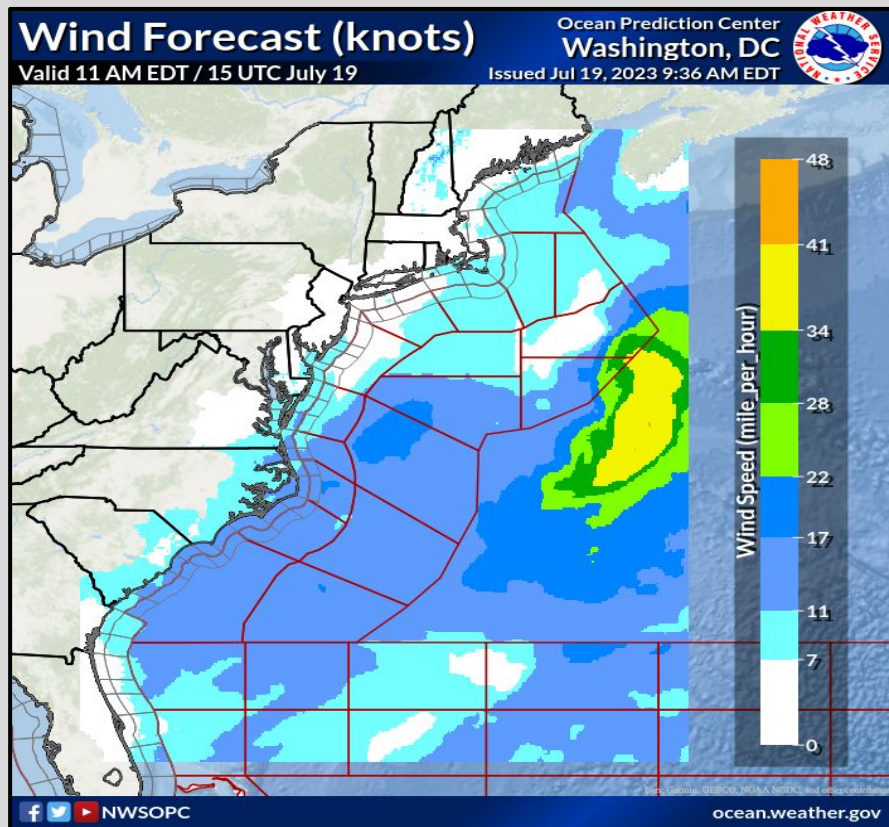


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East Coast N of 31N to 65W



Wind Forecast (knots) Valid Wednesday, July 19 11 AM EDT / 15 UTC.



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Area to Watch

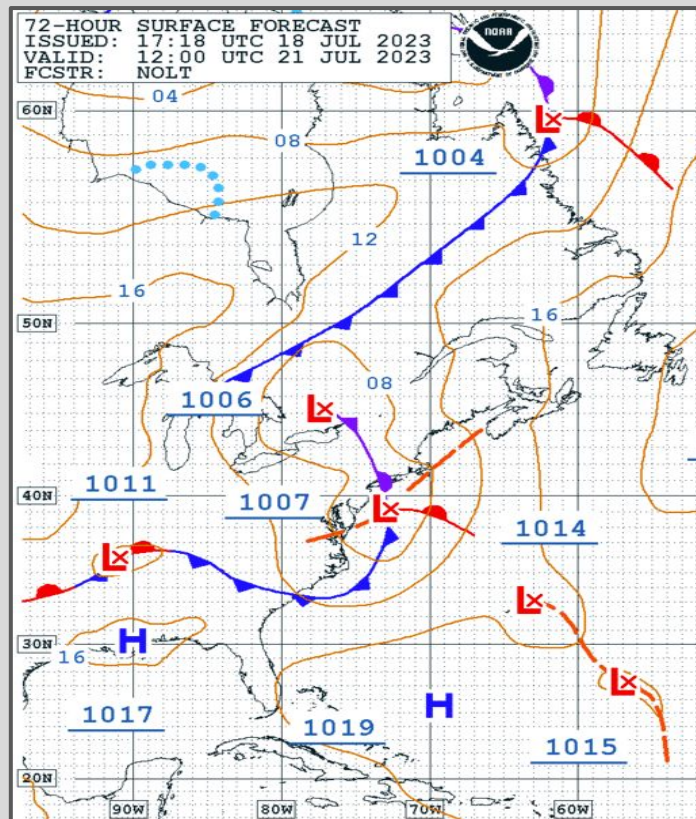
Thursday Night through Sunday Night (7/20 - 7/23)

KEY MESSAGES:

- Late in the week and over the weekend a cold front will slowly move south along the southeast U.S. coast. Weak low pressure centers should move east-northeast along the front.
- There is a small chance of sustained winds to gale force offshore of the Carolina coast from Thursday night through Sunday night.
- The primary threat is expected to be winds and seas locally higher in any strong thunderstorms.
- Mariners should move below deck, if possible, when any thunderstorm moves nearby or overhead.

Outlook for the Western Atlantic

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Ocean Prediction Center Forecast Valid 8 AM EDT / 12 UTC Friday, July 21





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Tropical Outlook

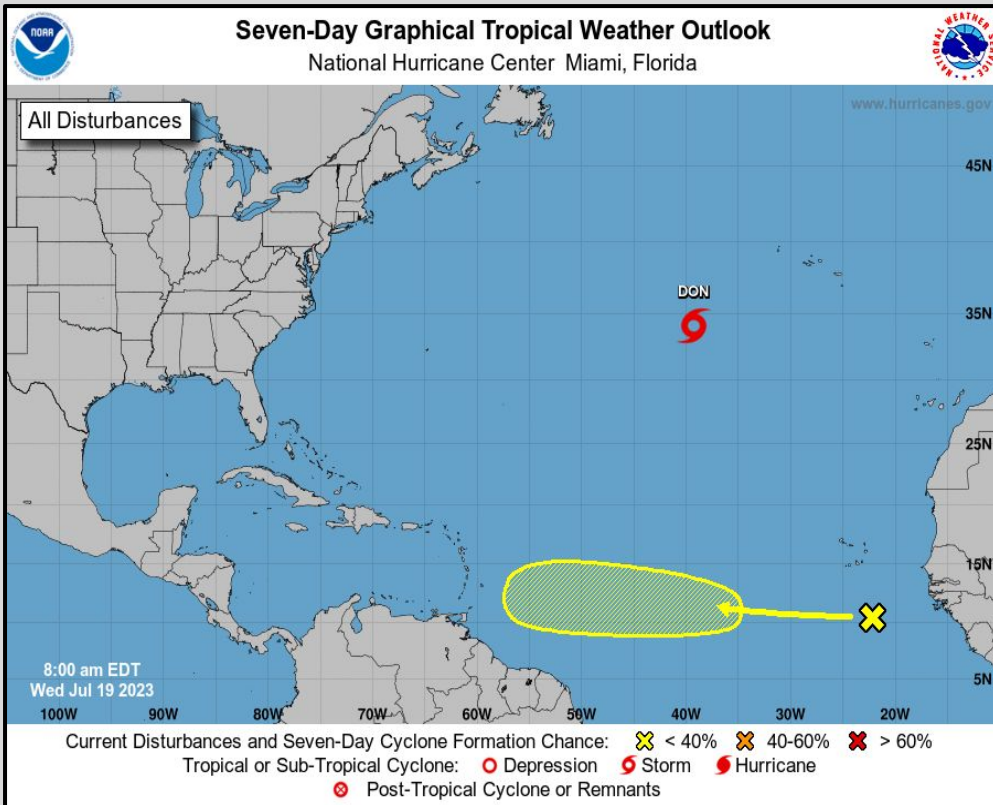
Next 7 days (through 7/25)

KEY MESSAGES:

- For the North Atlantic...Caribbean Sea and the Gulf of Mexico:
- *Active Systems:*
- The National Hurricane Center is issuing advisories on Tropical Storm Don, located over the central Atlantic.
- *Eastern Tropical Atlantic:*
- Cloudiness and showers over the eastern tropical Atlantic centered a few hundred miles south of the Cabo Verde Islands are associated with a tropical wave. While dry air should prevent significant organization during the next few days, environmental conditions could become more conducive for some development by this weekend while the wave moves westward across the central tropical Atlantic at 15 to 20 mph. The formation chance through 48 hours is low, near zero, and through 7 days is low, 20 percent.
- Keep abreast of the latest in the tropics and high seas marine weather information at [hurricanes.gov](https://www.hurricanes.gov) and [ocean.weather.gov](https://www.ocean.weather.gov). The next scheduled briefing will be Wednesday, July 26 by noon EDT, or 1600 UTC.

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Seven-day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook from the National Hurricane Center Valid 8 AM EDT July 19, 2023



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